Gleniffer High School

Session 2019-20

Pupil Equity Funding

Staffing

Primary Transition Teacher (Year 2)

Inclusion Support Officer (Year 2)

 Employability Project Lead becomes Acting PT Employability (Year 1)

- Working with targeted S1/2 pupils, alongside English & Mathematics departments and other primary transition teacher. Worked with targeted S2 and S3 pupils.
- Targeting attendance, engaging with families and working with young people at risk of disengaging from school. Developed alternative curriculum programmes.
- Early intervention for pupils at risk of failing to achieve a positive destination.

Staffing

Employability Assistant

- Data Support Assistant
- Wellbeing Coaches

- Support the work of PT Employability in administration. Commissioned two staff to organise employability events for S2/3 pupils.
- Supporting the work of PT Attainment in administration and pilot attendance project.
 Tracking data is more robust and an S3 early intervention mentoring project is running.
- Support PTs Pastoral and young people by conducting Wellbeing interviews throughout the school session. All S1 pupils were interviewed and a traffic light system put in place to identify immediate areas of concern.

Resourcing

- English
- Mathematics
- Modern Languages
- DoE
- Art & Technical

- Targeting reluctant learners, building consistency into literacy skills being used across the curriculum.
- Using technology to increase engagement.
- Reducing barriers to homework and vocabulary. Paying 50% of exchange trip for identified pupils.
- Reducing barriers to lack of equipment, including clothing.
- Improving and modernising methodologies by improving access to technology in both subject areas.

Initiatives

Cycling

- Health and Wellbeing
 Breakfast Club
- Lifelink Counselling
- Show My Homework
- Live n Learn

- Purchasing 20 bikes for use in school. Working with local business to train young people in cycle maintenance and achieve SQA accreditation. Engage with Cycle Scotland.
- Target young people in SIMD 1-3/FME to participate in physical activity as part of their morning routine.
 Breakfast will be provided afterwards, in partnership with Amey. Lack of interest from pupils, this hasn't run.
- Increased provision already being offered by Local Authority.
- Three year contract for service.
- Motivation/Study skills sessions for S3 pupils.

Anticipated Positive Outcomes

Earlier engagement in employability projects to improve leavers' destinations.

Increase in young people involved in physical activity – HWB.

Further opportunities for accreditation linked to HWB.

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Skills for Work in Creative Industries developed via improvements in resourcing -Employability



Increasing engagement in English and Mathematics through relevant resourcing. – Lit & Num

Next Steps 2019-20

Principal Teacher Nurture

 Developing nurturing approaches programme across the school in addition to targeted nurture programme for young people most at risk.

• Inclusion Support Officer (Year 3)

 Developing further adapted curriculum strategies to support those most at risk of nonattendance or lacking engagement in learning.

 Employability Project Lead becomes Acting PT Employability (Year 2) • Early intervention for pupils at risk of failing to achieve a positive destination.

Next Steps 2019-20

Employability Support Roles (x2)

Data Literacy

Wellbeing Coaches (x8)

Organising year group employability events.

 Supporting PT Data Literacy in the management of tracking data to identify attainment gaps and implement targeted strategies.

 All new S1 pupils interviewed in first term and traffic lighting used to identify areas of concern.
 DHT Pupil Support will lead in this area.

Next Steps 2019-20

- Additional Lifelink Counselling
- Show My Homework
- Cani Coaching
- Live n Learn
- Development of Nurture Base

- Increase provision already being offered by Local Authority.
- Three year contract.
- Weekend outdoor expedition for approximately 30 S2 pupils.
- Motivation/study skills sessions for S3 pupils.
- Targeted support for young people with attachment disorders. Lifeskills area, learning area, regulation area.

Anticipated Positive Outcomes



Principal Teacher Inclusion

- Nurture ASNA
- Keyworker

Acting PT Employability

- Leading the Nurture programme while developing an additional inclusion base for young people disengaging with mainstream education.
- Supporting the targeted Nurture programme via group sessions and 1-1 support of targeted young people.
- Supporting the development of the inclusion base, offering support for targeted cohort of young people and seeking wider accreditation and learning experiences, including work experience.
- Early intervention for pupils at risk of failing to achieve a positive destination.

Employability Support Roles (x2)

 Organising year group employability events. This will take a different format this year due to Covid-19.

Data Literacy

 Supporting PT Data Literacy in the management of tracking data to identify attainment gaps and implement targeted strategies.

Wellbeing Coaches (x12)

 All new S1 pupils interviewed in first term and traffic lighting used to identify areas of concern. DHT Pupil Support will lead in this area. Increase in number of coaches to ensure increased support because of lack of transition opportunities P7 to S1.

- Additional Lifelink Counselling
- Show My Homework
- Live n Learn
- Development of Inclusion Base

- Increase provision already being offered by Local Authority.
- Three year contract to be reviewed. Absolutely necessary as a communication platform.
- Motivation/study skills sessions for S3 pupils.
- Targeted support for young people at risk of disengaging from mainstream education.
 Opportunities for blended approach to education (some classes/some base time). Wider accreditation (non-traditional SQA or non-SQA learning).

Extra resourcing

 Additional resources for all departments to reduce need to share Covid-19.

Anticipated Positive Outcomes

